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**EMC-01-217**  
**Previously EMC-01-087CIP(A)**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>APPLICANT:</b>	Harwood, et al.	<b>GROUP ART UNIT:</b>	2151
<b>U.S.S.N.:</b>	10/010,778	<b>CONFIRMATION NO.:</b>	5871
<b>FILING DATE:</b>	December 6, 2001	<b>EXAMINER:</b>	Tran, Nghi V.
		<b>CUSTOMER NO.</b>	<b>24227</b>
<b>TITLE:</b>	<b>NETWORK ADAPTER HAVING INTEGRATED SWITCHING CAPABILITIES AND PORT CIRCUITRY THAT MAY BE USED IN REMOTE MIRRORING</b>		

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action made final mailed on May 16, 2005. Please note that there has been a change in the attorney docket number from EMC-01-087CIP(A), to EMC-01-217.

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Enclosed with this response is a statement of power of attorney pursuant to 37 CFR § 3.73(b) and a Customer Number Association Request.

Please amend the subject application, as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.